

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A prophylactic/remedy for immunopathy for immunopathy comprising, as an active ingredient, modifications of Staphylococcal enterotoxin B (SEB) with substitution of at least one amino acid residues within the amino acid sequence of natural type SEB, or derivatives thereof, wherein said SEB modifications or derivatives thereof have inhibitory activity on T cell activation wherein they interact with specific V β component of T cell receptor (TCR) but are reduced in their immunological responsiveness to SEB without inducing elimination of T cells having specific V β component, the elimination being normally induced by natural type SEB or recombinant wild-type SEB.

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